



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION FOR PATENT

INVENTOR: Manuel SCHMIDT et al. | DOCKET NO.: 4674  
APPLICATION NO.: 10/817,445 | CONFIRM. NO.: 1606  
FILING DATE: April 1, 2004 | ART UNIT: 2878  
TITLE OF INVENTION: | EXAMINER: C. M. YEALY  
Sensor Arrangement to Prevent  
Reference Light Incident on  
Side of Photodiode (as amended)

MS AMENDMENT  
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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August 17, 2007

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

Dear Sir:

- 1) This is a petition for an extension of **one (1) month** to be added to the original term of **three months** for responding to the Office Action mailed on April 17, 2007.
- 2) Applicant is a **Large Entity**. Fee Payment: **\$120.00**. Our Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038) is enclosed to cover the extension fee. Any fee deficiency or additional fee may be charged to Deposit Account 50-0507.
- 3) A Response to the Office Action is being filed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,  
Manuel SCHMIDT et al.  
Applicant

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